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RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements dated February 2, 2001, enclosed is:

- (1) Copy of the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371;
- (2) an executed declaration and power of attorney
- (3) a check in the amount of \$130.00 for late filing of the declaration.

An Assignment document is being concurrently filed with this response in a separate correspondence to the Assignment Division, along with the required Recordation Form Cover Sheet and fee of \$40.00.

If any additional fees are due or an overpayment has been made, please charge our Deposit Account No. 08-2461 or credit our Deposit Account for such sum. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed for that purpose. In is believed that the formal requirements for this application are complete, and it is requested that a Notification of Acceptance be issued.

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